

## Message Text

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SUBJ: EXPORT RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED BY FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS

REF: MANILA 10682

1. DATA ON CURRENT EXPORT TAXES WAS NOT AVAILABLE IN TIME  
FOR REFTEL. PHILIPPINE EXPORT TAXES CURRENTLY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

A. THERE IS A FOUR PERCENT TAX ON IRON, CHROMITE, BUNKER  
FUEL OIL, PETROLEUM PITCH, ABACA, BANANAS, COCONUT OIL,  
COPRA MEAL OR CAKE, DESSICATED COCONUT, SLICED OR  
CRUSHED PINEAPPLE, PINEAPPLE JUICE, MOLASSES, TOBACCO  
LEAF, SCRAP TOBACCO, AND SHRIMPS AND PRAWNS;

B. THERE IS A SIX PERCENT TAX ON COPRA AND CENTRIFUGAL SUGAR;

C. THERE IS A PREMIUM TAX ON THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE  
CURRENT PRICE AND THE BASE PRICE (IF LOWER) FOR SEVERAL  
PRODUCTS. THE BASE PRICE IS 80 PERCENT OF THE FEBRUARY 1974  
PRICE. ALTHOUGH FALLING PRICES HAVE RENDERED THE PRE-  
MIUM TAX INAPPLICABLE IN MOST CASES, IT REMAINS NOMINALLY  
APPLICABLE AT A RATE OF 20 PERCENT TO IRON, CHROMITE,  
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DESSICATED COCONUT, COPRA MEAL OR CAKE, COCONUT OIL,

CENTRIFUGAL SUGAR, AND MOLASSES. A 30 PERCENT RATE  
IS APPLICABLE TO COPRA.  
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